



**NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT
Senate Bill 66**

AMENDMENT NO. _____
(to be filled in by
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Amends Title [YES]
First Edition

Date _____, 2021

Senator _____

1 moves to amend the bill on page 1, lines 2 and 3, by rewriting the lines to read:

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3 "AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE RELATED TO CERVID EXCRETIONS ADOPTED
4 BY THE WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION; AND TO DIRECT THE WILDLIFE
5 RESOURCES COMMISSION TO REVISE THE RULE.";

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7 and on page 1, line 5, through page 2, line 2, by rewriting those lines to read:

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9 "SECTION 1. Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3(b1), the amendment to the following rule,
10 as adopted by the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission on February 25, 2020, and
11 approved by the Rules Review Commission on April 16, 2020, is disapproved:

12 15A NCAC 10B .0201 (Prohibited Taking and Manner of Take).

13 SECTION 2.(a) Definitions. – For purposes of this section and its implementation,
14 "Cervid Excretion Rule" means 15A NCAC 10B .0201 (Prohibited Taking and Manner of Take).

15 SECTION 2.(b) Cervid Excretion Rule. – Until the effective date of the revised
16 permanent rule that the Wildlife Resources Commission is required to adopt pursuant to
17 subsection (d) of this section, the Commission shall implement the Cervid Excretion Rule as
18 provided in subsection (c) of this section.

19 SECTION 2.(c) Implementation. – No person shall possess or use any substance or
20 material that contains or is labeled as containing any excretion collected from a cervid, including
21 feces, urine, blood, gland oil, or other bodily fluid for the purposes of taking or attempting to
22 take, attracting, or scouting wildlife. This prohibition shall not apply to the following substances:

- 23 (1) Products containing synthetic analogs of cervid excretions and labeled as
24 such.
25 (2) Products consisting of or containing natural substances collected by a hunter
26 from a legally harvested cervid in North Carolina.
27 (3) Natural substances collected from facilities within North Carolina that have a
28 valid Farmed Cervid License from the North Carolina Department of
29 Agriculture and Consumer Services and are labeled as such.
30 (4) Natural deer urine products containing excretions from facilities within North
31 Carolina that have a valid Farmed Cervid License from the North Carolina
32 Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and are labeled as such.



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- 1 (5) Natural deer urine products containing excretions from facilities that meet all
2 the following requirements and are labeled as such:
3 (a) Determined to be free of chronic wasting disease (CWD) based on
4 testing by an independent laboratory using a method that may help
5 detect the presence of CWD prions.
6 (b) Complies with a federally approved CWD herd certification program
7 and any federal CWD protocols.
8 (c) Participates in additional herd management requirements as specified
9 by the Wildlife Resources Commission.

10 **SECTION 2.(d)** Additional Rule Making Authority. – The Commission shall adopt
11 a rule to amend the Cervid Excretion Rule consistent with subsection (c) of this section.
12 Notwithstanding G.S. 150B-19(4), the rule adopted by the Commission pursuant to this section
13 shall be substantively identical to the provisions of subsection (c) of this section. Rules adopted
14 pursuant to this section are not subject to Part 3 of Article 2A of Chapter 150B of the General
15 Statutes. Rules adopted pursuant to this section shall become effective as provided in
16 G.S. 150B-21.3(b1), as though 10 or more written objections had been received as provided in
17 G.S. 150B-21.3(b2).

18 **SECTION 2.(e)** Applicability and Sunset. – This section and rules adopted pursuant
19 to this section apply to any cervid excretions used for hunting on or after July 1, 2021. This
20 section expires when permanent rules adopted as required by subsection (d) of this section
21 become effective.

22 **SECTION 3.** This act is effective when it becomes law."

SIGNED _____
Amendment Sponsor

SIGNED _____
Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

ADOPTED _____ FAILED _____ TABLED _____